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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Katsuaki MIYAJI, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/524,666 ✓

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EXAMINER:

FOR: THROMBOPOETIN RECEPTOR ACTIVATORS AND PROCESS FOR THEIR PRODUCTION

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION		
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	AAD	MORINO, Tomio et al. "NK372135s, Novel Antifungal Agents Produced by Neosartoria fischeri", Journal of Antibiotics, vol. 47, no. 12, pages 1546-1548 1994					
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STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

- 1) References _____ have been cited in the International Search Report. Copies of these references are being submitted herewith only when not automatically provided by the International Searching Authority.
- 2) References AAD, AAE have been cited in the corresponding International Preliminary Examination Report. A copy of these references is being submitted herewith.
- 3) References AA-AAC are discussed in the specification. A copy of these references is being submitted here with.
- 4) References _____ are additional prior art known to Applicant. A copy of these references is being submitted herewith.

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